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**REQUEST
FOR
CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
TRANSMITTAL**

Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. §132, effective on May 29, 2000, provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995.
See The American Inventors Protection Act of 1999 (AIPA).

Application Number	09/736,023
Filing Date*	February 28, 2001
First Named Inventor	Philip Edwin HOWSE et al.
Group Art Unit	3643
Examiner Name	Darren W. ARK
Attorney Docket No.	HOWS3002/REF/JJC

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 of the above-identified application.

NOTE: * Filing date must be on or after June 8, 1995; but if before May 29, 2000, then consider a CPA.

1. Please consider the following as the required submission under 37 C.F.R. §1.114:

- ☒ a. The Amendment/Reply filed herewith:
- ☐ b. The Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) filed on (date):
- ☐ c. The arguments in the Brief/Reply Brief filed on (date):
- ☐ d. The ___ page(s) of Form PTO-1449 and copy of each listed document filed (date):
- ☐ e. Other:
- ☒ 2. A one month Petition for Extension of Time is filed herewith.
- ☒ 3. The Commissioner is authorized to credit any overpayment and charge any deficiency in any fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and/or 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 02-0200.
- ☒ 4. A check in the amount of \$ 984.00 is submitted herewith.
- ☐ 5. This Request is transmitted by facsimile to number (703) _____.
- ☐ 6. Other:

THE RCE FEE IS CALCULATED AS FOLLOWS:						Basic Fee:	\$770.00
Total Claims:	49	-	48	(highest number previously paid for) =	1	X \$18 =	\$18.00
Independent Claims:	6	-	5	(highest number previously paid for) =	1	X \$86 =	\$86.00
Correspondence Address: 23364 Customer Number						Multiple Dependent Claim (add \$290.00):	
						Subtotal:	\$874.00
						50% Reduction if Small Entity Status:	
Phone: 703-683-0500 Fax: 703-683-1080						Total:	\$874.00
Date:		Name:			Signature:		Reg. No.
September 28, 2004		JUSTIN J. CASSELL					46,205

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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Inventor: Philip Edwin HOWSE et al.

Application No.: 09/736,023

Confirmation No: 5866

Filed: February 28, 2001

Attorney No.: HOWS3002/REF/JJC

Customer No.: 23364

Examiner: Darren W. ARK

Art Unit: 3643

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CONTROLLING PESTS

AMENDMENT

MAIL STOP NON-FEE AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This is responsive to the Office Action dated May 28, 2004 in the above application. A Request for Continued Examination and a petition for an extension of time are filed concurrently herewith. In view of the following amendments and remarks, reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested.

Please amend the application in accordance with the following particulars.

In the Claims

An amendment of the claims is presented below under the heading "Amendment of the Claims."